

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: § Group Art Unit: **1712**
 EOFF ET AL. §
Serial No.: **10/760,443** §
Filed: **JANUARY 20, 2004** §
Title: **"METHOD AND COMPOSITIONS FOR**
 REDUCING THE PRODUCTION OF
 WATER AND STIMULATING
 HYDROCARBON PRODUCTION FROM A
 SUBTERRANEAN FORMATION" §
Examiner: **FIGUEROA, JOHN J.**
Atty. Docket No: **2001-IP-005267U1P1**

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Honorable Commissioner of Patents
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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111 TO
NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION, MAILED FEBRUARY 21, 2007**

Dear Honorable Commissioner:

In response to the Office Action mailed on February 21, 2007 (the "Office Action"), Applicants submit the following:

- **Amendments to the Claims**, which are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper; and
- **Remarks/Arguments**, which begin on page 7 of this paper.